DELAWARE FY 2018 LIHEAP

PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SNAPSHOT

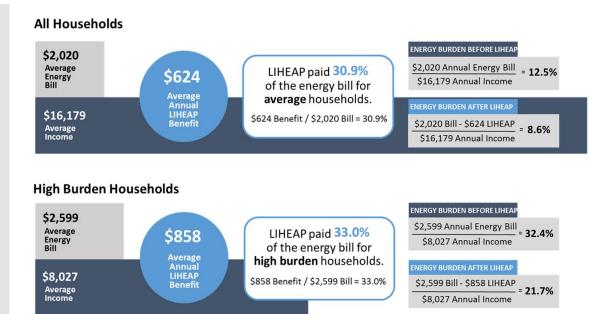
In FY 2018, Delaware furnished LIHEAP bill payment assistance to 11,623 households. They collected energy burden data for 7,022 households (60%).

Does LIHEAP furnish higher benefits to higher burden households?

Yes. In Delaware, the total LIHEAP benefit received by high burden households in FY 2018 was about **\$234** (38%) more than the total LIHEAP benefit received by the average recipient household.

Does LIHEAP pay a larger share of the home energy bill for high burden households?

Yes. In FY 2018, LIHEAP paid **30.9%** of the energy bill for average households in Delaware, while LIHEAP paid **33.0%** of the energy bill for high burden households.



Prevention and Restoration of Home Energy Service Loss

As a Result of Bill Payment Assistance



In FY 2018, LIHEAP benefits in Delaware *prevented the loss of service 581 times*, by stopping threatened utility service disconnections and by delivering fuels to homes that were at risk of running out. In addition, the program *repaired or replaced heating or cooling equipment at imminent risk of failure 135 times*.

In FY 2018, LIHEAP benefits *restored home energy service* 150 times for households who had been disconnected by their utility provider or who had run out of fuel oil, propane, or wood. In addition, the program *restored home energy service* 2 times by repairing or replacing inoperable heating or cooling equipment.